



NORTHWEST
KIDNEY CENTERS

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CERTIFICATE OF NEED PROGRAM
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH



January 26, 2007

Janis Sigman, Manager
Certificate of Need Program
Office of Certification and Technical Support
Department of Health
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Since 1962,
a nonprofit,
community-based
health care provider

Dialysis facilities
located in:

Auburn
Bellevue
First Hill
Lake City
Normandy Park
Northgate
Port Angeles
Renton
Seattle
Snoqualmie
Totem Lake
West Seattle

Dialysis services
also provided in:

160 Homes
14 Hospitals

SUBJECT: Letter of Intent to Construct a New Dialysis Facility
NKC Kent Kidney Center

Dear Ms. Sigman:

Please be advised that Northwest Kidney Centers intends to file a Certificate of Need application to develop a new seventeen (17) station dialysis treatment facility in the City of Kent. Services to be offered include routine outpatient hemodialysis, isolation dialysis, home hemodialysis training and support, and home peritoneal dialysis training and support. The facility will also feature one or more permanently bedded treatment stations to accommodate patients unable to receive treatment in a conventional dialysis recliner.

The NKC Kent Kidney Center will be located at the junction of state highways 167 and 516 to provide exceptional access from all areas of the King County Planning Region Ten (WAC 2460310-280). The facility address is 25316 – 74th Avenue South, Suite 101, Kent, WA, 98032.

The space lease has already been executed, and the estimated capital expenditure for the project is \$1,829,343. The stations can be made available for use within 150 days of receipt of a CN award.

Sincerely,

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